

H.R. 1933. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the bicentennial of the Old State House of Connecticut; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. LAZIO of New York:

H.R. 1934. A bill to amend section 255 of the National Housing Act to extend the mortgage insurance program for home equity conversion mortgages for elderly homeowners, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 1935. A bill to suspend until January 1, 1998, the duty on certain twine; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. FLAKE, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. OWENS, Mr. STARK, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 1936. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for certain minimum requirements under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program with respect to obstetrical benefits; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 1937. A bill to facilitate small business involvement in the regulatory development processes of the Environmental Protection Agency and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Small Business, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H.R. 1938. A bill to amend the vaccine injury compensation portion of the Public Health Service Act to permit a petition for compensation to be submitted within 48 months of the first symptoms of injury; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. UNDERWOOD (for himself and Mr. FRAZER):

H.R. 1939. A bill to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act to provide for the representation of Guam and the Virgin Islands on the boards of directors of the appropriate Federal home loan banks; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1940. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a charitable contribution deduction for certain expenses incurred by whaling captains in support of Native Alaskan subsistence whaling; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. OWENS:

H.J. Res. 98. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to clarify the meaning of the second amendment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. MILLER of California):

H. Con. Res. 79. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding an appropriate minimum length of stay for routine deliveries; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself and Mr. LEACH):

H. Res. 174. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the recent announcement by the Republic of France that it intends to conduct a series of underground nuclear test explosions despite the current international moratorium on nu-

clear testing; to the Committee on International Relations.

187.35 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

122. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to establish an integrated spent fuel management storage facility; to the Committee on Commerce.

123. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to cause the Army Corps of Engineers to mitigate for losses on the MR&T Mainline Levee Construction Program and perform an updated environmental impact statement; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

187.36 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 32: Mr. KLECZKA.
H.R. 65: Mr. EVANS, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. FLAKE.
H.R. 104: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.
H.R. 209: Mr. FIELDS of Texas.
H.R. 210: Mrs. CHENOWETH.
H.R. 246: Mr. CRANE and Mr. SKEEN.
H.R. 303: Mr. MOLLOHAN and Mr. HINCHEY.
H.R. 353: Mr. MARTINI, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. KASICH, and Mr. DELLUMS.
H.R. 359: Mr. MASCARA.
H.R. 390: Mr. FROST.
H.R. 394: Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. MARTINI, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. MOORHEAD, and Mr. ROBERTS.
H.R. 408: Mr. BLUTE.
H.R. 469: Mr. DEUTSCH.
H.R. 475: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.
H.R. 488: Mr. WALSH, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. HORN, and Mr. PASTOR.
H.R. 582: Mr. DREIER.
H.R. 598: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. CRANE, Mr. STARK, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. WAMP, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. ROYCE, Ms. DANNER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. WHITFIELD.
H.R. 676: Mrs. LOWEY.
H.R. 752: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FLAKE, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. WICKER, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. ORTON.
H.R. 771: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
H.R. 789: Mr. COX, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. SAWYER, and Mr. COMBEST.
H.R. 816: Mr. MCCRERY.
H.R. 852: Mr. MARTINEZ.
H.R. 858: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. WILLIAMS, and Mr. DICKS.
H.R. 860: Mr. SALMON and Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 911: Mr. BONIOR, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. MANTON, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.
H.R. 1020: Mr. CRANE, Mr. SHAW, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. FROST, Mr. WICKER, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. NETHERCUTT, and Mr. GREENWOOD.
H.R. 1033: Mr. LAZIO of New York.
H.R. 1047: Mr. MCINTOSH.
H.R. 1114: Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. WELLER, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr.

FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 1143: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1144: Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1145: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1176: Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut.

H.R. 1203: Mr. PETRI, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. LEACH, Mr. NUSSLE, and Mr. FOX.

H.R. 1226: Mr. BURR, Mr. BASS, and Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 1227: Mr. JACOBS and Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 1278: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 1296: Mr. GALLEGLY and Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 1314: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 1317: Mr. LONGLEY.

H.R. 1384: Mr. FLANAGAN and Mr. QUINN.

H.R. 1406: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. PAYNE of Virginia.

H.R. 1533: Mr. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 1536: Mr. FLANAGAN and Mr. QUINN.

H.R. 1541: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1567: Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 1619: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. PELOSI, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

H.R. 1626: Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. CANADY, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. PETERSON of Florida.

H.R. 1627: Mr. HOBSON and Mr. HOUGHTON.

H.R. 1640: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. TALENT, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. HOEKSTRA, and Mr. FUNDERBURK.

H.R. 1651: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

H.R. 1675: Mr. JONES, Mr. TANNER, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. HAMILTON, and Mr. SAXTON.

H.R. 1684: Mr. WHITE, and Mrs. SEASTRAND.

H.R. 1713: Mr. MCKEON, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, and Mr. ENSIGN.

H.R. 1739: Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1748: Mr. MINGE and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 1758: Mr. FAZIO of California.

H.R. 1774: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 1801: Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. CHRYSLER, and Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 1807: Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LUTHER, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1818: Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, and Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 1821: Mr. STUPAK and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1833: Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. KLINK, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. CRANE, Mr. SHAD-EGG, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. SALMON, Mr. BONO, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. WAMP.

H.R. 1834: Mr. BARR, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. METCALF.

H.R. 1840: Mr. HERGER, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. PACKARD, and Mrs. SEASTRAND.

H.R. 1856: Mr. CRAPO, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. MCHUGH.

H.R. 1884: Mr. FROST.
H.R. 1885: Mr. BLUTE and Mr. WAMP.
H.J. Res. 78: Mr. CLAY, Mr. GEPHARDT, and Mr. COSTELLO.
H.J. Res. 84: Mr. BECERRA.
H. Con. Res. 4: Mr. SOUDER and Mr. EHR-
LICH.
H. Con. Res. 42: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey,
Ms. FURSE, and Mr. KILDEE.
H. Con. Res. 50: Ms. RIVERS, Mr. SCOTT, and
Mr. HALL of Ohio.
H. Con. Res. 65: Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. ESHOO,
Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. ROUKEMA,
Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. MILLER of
California, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Miss COLLINS of
Michigan, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. WAXMAN.
H. Con. Res. 76: Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. BROWN
of California, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts,
and Mr. BRYANT of Texas.
H. Res. 21: Mr. GUTKNECHT.

¶87.37 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions
and papers were laid on the Clerk's
desk and referred as follows:

26. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the 47th
student senate, Florida State University,
relative to H.R. 1709; to the Committee on
National Security.

27. Also, petition of the common council of
the city of Buffalo, NY, relative to the His-
toric Homeownership Assistance Act; to the
Committee on Banking and Financial Ser-
vices.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1995 (88)

The House was called to order by the
SPEAKER.

¶88.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had ex-
amined and approved the Journal of
the proceedings of Tuesday, June 27,
1995.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Jour-
nal was approved.

¶88.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communica-
tions, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV,
were referred as follows:

1112. A letter from the Director, Standards
of Conduct Office, Department of Defense,
transmitting a report of individuals who
filed DD Form 1787, Report of DOD and De-
fense Related Employment for fiscal year
1994, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2397(e); to the
Committee on National Security.

1113. A letter from the General Counsel,
Department of Defense, transmitting a draft
of proposed legislation, to provide for alter-
native means of acquiring and improving
housing and supporting facilities for unac-
companied members of the Armed Forces; to
the Committee on National Security.

1114. A letter from the Vice-Chair, Coordi-
nating Council on Juvenile Justice and De-
linquency Prevention, transmitting a re-
quest to the U.S. House of Representatives
to appoint an individual to the Coordinating
Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency
Prevention; to the Committee on Economic
and Educational Opportunities.

1115. A letter from the Administrator, En-
ergy Information Administration, Depart-
ment of Energy, transmitting the Adminis-
tration's report entitled, "Profiles of For-
eign Direct Investment in U.S. Energy 1993,"
pursuant to section 657(8) of the Department
of Energy Organization Act; to the Com-
mittee on Commerce.

1116. A letter from the Secretary of Health
and Human Services, transmitting the De-
partment's report entitled, "Double Jeop-

ardy: Persons with Mental Illnesses in the
Criminal Justice System," pursuant to 42
U.S.C. 290bb-31; to the Committee on Com-
merce.

1117. A letter from the Assistant Secretary
for Legislative Affairs, Department of State,
transmitting a Memorandum of Justification
for Presidential Determination regarding the
drawdown of defense articles and services for
the Rapid Reaction Force [RRF], pursuant to
22 U.S.C. 2348a; to the Committee on Inter-
national Relations.

1118. A letter from the Chief of Staff, In-
ternational Affairs, Federal Election Institute,
transmitting a communication regarding the
Second Trilateral Conference on Electoral
Systems (volume I, II, including the execu-
tive report, index and program) by the Cana-
dian, American, and Mexican delegations
held May 10 through May 12, 1995, in Ottawa,
Canada; to the Committee on International
Relations.

1119. A letter from the Secretary of Trans-
portation, transmitting the semiannual re-
port of the inspector general for the period
October 1, 1994, through March 31, 1995, and
management report, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.
app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the
Committee on Government Reform and
Oversight.

1120. A letter from the Chairman, Federal
Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting
the annual report under the Federal Man-
agers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year
1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the
Committee on Government Reform and
Oversight.

1121. A letter from the President, Federal
Financing Bank, transmitting the manage-
ment report of the Federal Financing Bank
for fiscal year 1994, including audited finan-
cial statements and the independent audi-
tor's report on the statements, pursuant to
Public Law 101-576, section 306(a) (104 Stat.
2854); to the Committee on Government Re-
form and Oversight.

1122. A letter from the Administrator, Gen-
eral Services Administration, transmitting
the semiannual report on the activities of
the Department's inspector general for the
period October 1, 1994, through March 31,
1995, and the management report for the
same period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp.
Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on
Government Reform and Oversight.

1123. A letter from the Counsel, National
Council on Radiation Protection and Meas-
urements, transmitting the 1994 annual re-
port of independent auditors who have au-
dited the records of the National Council on
Radiation Protection and Measurements,
pursuant to Public Law 88-376, section 14(b)
(78 Stat. 323); to the Committee on the Judi-
ciary.

1124. A letter from the Director, National
Science Foundation, transmitting a draft of
proposed legislation to amend the Program
Fraud Civil Remedies Act; to the Committee
on the Judiciary.

1125. A letter from the General Counsel,
National Tropical Botanical Garden, trans-
mitting the annual audit report of the Na-
tional Tropical Botanical Garden, calendar
year 1994, pursuant to Public Law 88-449, sec-
tion 10(b) (78 Stat. 498); to the Committee on
the Judiciary.

1126. A letter from the Secretary of Hous-
ing and Urban Development, transmitting a
draft of proposed legislation to amend provi-
sions of the Bankruptcy Code governing the
powers of a bankruptcy court and the effect
of automatic stays as they relate to certain
multifamily liens insured or held by the Sec-
retary of Housing and Urban Development or
the Secretary of Agriculture; to the Com-
mittee on the Judiciary.

¶88.3 COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES
TO SIT

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by
unanimous consent, the following com-
mittees and their subcommittees were
granted permission to sit during the 5-
minute rule today: the Committee on
International Relations, and the Com-
mittee on Science.

¶88.4 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 69

Mr. SOLOMON, by direction of the
Committee on Rules, called up the fol-
lowing resolution (H. Res. 173):

Resolved, That upon the adoption of this
resolution it shall be in order to consider in
the House the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 79)
proposing an amendment to the Constitution
of the United States authorizing the Con-
gress and the States to prohibit the physical
desecration of the flag of the United States.
The joint resolution shall be debatable for
one hour equally divided and controlled by
the chairman and ranking minority member
of the Committee on the Judiciary. The pre-
vious question shall be considered as ordered
on the joint resolution to final passage with-
out intervening motion except one motion to
recommit. The motion to recommit may in-
clude instructions only if offered by the mi-
nority leader or his designee. If including in-
structions, the motion to recommit shall be
debatable for one hour equally divided and
controlled by the proponent and an oppo-
nent.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

Mr. SOLOMON moved the previous
question on the resolution to its adop-
tion or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House now order the pre-
vious question?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr.
DUNCAN, announced that the yeas had
it.

Mr. BEILENSEN objected to the vote
on the ground that a quorum was not
present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4,
rule XV, and the call was taken by
electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 258
Nays 170

¶88.5 [Roll No. 428]
YEAS—258

Allard	Brownback	Crane
Archer	Bryant (TN)	Crapo
Armey	Bunn	Cremins
Bachus	Bunning	Cubin
Baessler	Burr	Cunningham
Baker (CA)	Burton	Davis
Baker (LA)	Buyer	de la Garza
Ballenger	Callahan	Deal
Barr	Calvert	DeLay
Barrett (NE)	Camp	Diaz-Balart
Bartlett	Canady	Dickey
Barton	Castle	Doolittle
Bass	Chabot	Dornan
Bateman	Chambliss	Dreier
Bereuter	Chapman	Duncan
Bevill	Chenoweth	Dunn
Bilbray	Christensen	Ehlers
Bilirakis	Chrysler	Ehrlich
Bliley	Clinger	Emerson
Blute	Coble	English
Boehlert	Coburn	Ensign
Boehner	Collins (GA)	Everett
Bonilla	Combest	Ewing
Bono	Cooley	Fawell
Brewster	Cox	Fields (TX)
Browder	Cramer	Flanagan